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HOW KANSAS FIGHTS.

The State of Kansas is taking the grip with the Standard Oil monopoly in a way that makes the millionaires sit up and take notice. Kansas has only recently become an oil state. In the early stages of development Standard Oil bought Kansas petroleum at good prices. Lately the price has been cut low and as the producers cannot get their oil to other refiners on account of the pull that the syndicate has with the railways, they seemed to be at the mercy of the corporation. But the state of Jerry Simpson and Carry Nation is not without resource in emergencies. Having no power to go into the refining business as an independent industry the state legislature passed a measure establishing a new form of prison labor. This penitentiary industry is refining oil, and it will be carried on in the midst of the oil district. The concern will start in a small way, but with capability of expansion. Incidentally it may reveal to the world the extent of the refiners' profits. Also it may mitigate the price of kerosene. The announcement of this departure coincides with the declaration of a quarterly dividend of fifteen per cent. by the Standard Oil Company. The State of Kansas will be satisfied with less than that every two years.

FROM GLENGARY TO LONDON.

Donald MacMaster, K. C., of Montreal, one of the most brilliant of Canadian lawyers, is about to take up the practice of his profession in London. He does not do this for want of a large income in this country, for there is no member of the Montreal bar who has a more lucrative practice. The suggestion is that Mr. MacMaster will follow Mr. Blake's example not only in taking up the practice of law in London, but in entering the Imperial parliament. If this should happen the Canadian colony in the house of commons would be greatly strengthened. Mr. MacMaster is a strong imperialist and would be a supporter of Mr. Chamberlain. The Ontario constituency of Glengary where Mr. MacMaster was born was represented by him in parliament twenty years ago. There is a tradition that his defeat in 1887 was due to a joke which he made in the house in which he spoke of "the predatory instincts of my Highland ancestors." This unhappy jest was circulated in its baldest form among the men from Glengary, who straightway arose in their might and elected an Irishman.

JAPANESE CIVILIZATION.

The following striking remarks, recently made by the Japanese ambassador at Paris have an evident point: We Japanese have for many generations sent to Europe exquisite lacquer work, delicately carved figures, beautiful embroidery and many other commodities which show how artistic we are; but the Europeans described us as "uncivilized." We have recently killed some 70,000 Russians, and every European nation is wondering at the high condition of civilization which we have attained. Perhaps this statesman is hardly fair. Before Japan had killed any Russians Great Britain thought so well of Japan that she formed with her a close alliance. Yet it is undoubtedly true that Japan has risen greatly in the esteem of the world—because she has shown that she is capable of taking care of herself. It is not by killing a great many people that Japan has become famous. The Mahdi might have killed 70,000 English without laying himself open to the charge that he and his Arabs were highly civilized. Japan has exhibited splendid powers of organization and administration and these qualities belong to civilization.

THE HOCKEY INCIDENT.

Incidents such as occurred in Queens Rink last evening exercise an undesirable influence on the feelings which should exist among all true lovers of sport. In the excitement of the moment players of both sides are apt to say and do things which, after consideration, they will regret, and in so far as is possible the heads of contesting hockey teams and of similar organizations should endeavor to avoid such combinations of circumstances as may lead to friction. This cannot always be done, and in cases where disputes unavoidably arise the true sportsmanship is shown by quietly accepting the decisions of those chosen as judges. In last evening's game the deciding goal was in dispute. The goal judge and the spectators held different opinions, and confusion followed. The outcome was that the game was given to the visiting team, while the St. John players have entered a protest. Had the latter quietly accepted the decision of the judge and gone on with the play they might have shot another goal and won the game, at the same time retaining more self-satisfaction than they can now feel. Had the visitors scored in continued play the protest entered by the St. John men would not be of less effect.

It is not to be expected that the tragedy of Moscow will end the rule of the Grand Dukes or bring about radical reforms. Assassination in Russia has not worked that way hitherto. There are other reactionary princes and potentates in Russia. Whatever faults they may have, most of them are not afraid of death. Other royal lives are likely to be lost in this cause before Russia sees the daylight of liberty.

IRISH LULLABY.

Softly now the burn is rushing,
Every lark its song is hushing,
On the moor thick rest is falling,
Quickly o'er the drowsy matting,
Calling, calling, lonely, lonely,
For my darling, for my only
Leannavan mo' Leannavan mo!

Trotting home, my dearie, dearie,
Wee black lamb comes, wearie, wearie,
Hear its soft feet pit-a-patting
Quickly o'er the drowsy matting,
See its brown-black eyes a-blinking—
Of its bed it's surely thinking,
Leannavan mo' Leannavan mo!

The hen to roost wee Nora's shooing,
Brindley in the byre is mooing,
The tired-out cricket's quit its calling—
Velvet sleep on all is falling,
Lark and cow, and sheep and starling—
Feel it kiss our white-haired darling,
Leannavan mo' Leannavan mo!

*White-Haired Child.
—Seumas MacManus, in The Delinestor.

SATURDAY SERMONETTE.

THE YES MAN.

Whenever I hear a person say "Yes, yes," to every proposition, I think of a weak deceitful man—unless the "affirmative" person is of the opposite sex—and then I think of a weak hypocritical woman. Easy-going, timid people very often say yes, when their judgment tells them they ought to say no. They lend money, or their names (which is worse) and learn from bitter experience that Solomon was wise when he warned them against suretyship. Yes men are generally behind with their business engagements for they make promises so easily that they cannot possibly keep their engagements, no matter how honest their intentions. When the affirmative persons is a woman, then there is trouble for herself—for she does not want to hurt "his" feelings when he asks the most important question a woman can be asked, but says yes, and lives unhappily afterward. The yes man gets into financial difficulties, for he cannot say no to the book agents with a plausible tongue. The yes man promises his vote to every candidate and this is why you can never bet on an election without losing. It is the Yes men who are the uncertain element. Yes men and women are the fruitful field where the missionary of every "cult," from Brigham Young down to Lewis gather their disciples. Learn to say no, my friend, and say it so that it can be heard, and you will be richer and wiser than the writer of this sermonette will ever be.

WARK AND COSTIGAN.

The New Freeman is indebted to Captain James J. Cremer, West Quaco, for the following interesting facts: On Sunday next when Senator Wark receives congratulations on his hundred and first birthday he will have sixty-four years in parliament. On the score of continuity of service he is closely followed by Lord Templemore, father of the House of Lords, who entered parliament the day following his coming of age, June fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-two, precisely the same year as when Mr. Wark entered upon his political career. Emulating him in Canadian politics we have Honorable John Costigan, seventy years of age and in parliament forty-four years, fourteen of which he had been a member of the cabinet. In these two Irishmen New Brunswick can claim the undivided distinction of holding the fatherhood of both the federal assemblies.

REPEAT DAILY

Pour on the boiling water, steep five minutes and Tiger Tea will be a delight and a charm.

DEATHS.

DESBRISEY—At "Old Ladies' Home," St. John, Feb. 12th, Sarah Desbrisey, sister of the late Sarah Desbrisey of Bathurst, N. B., aged 85 years.

Interment took place at Bathurst Feb. 14th. (P. E. I. papers please copy).

HILLMAN—On Friday evening, Feb. 17th, Maria S. Hillman, leaving three brothers and one sister to mourn their sad loss.

Funeral on Monday, at 2.30 o'clock from her late residence, 98 St. Patrick street. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend. (Boston papers please copy).

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The Westville Free Lance recently obtained the following interview with Geo. E. Munro, one of the leading merchants of Pictou County. It will be read with interest by all who have used and are using "Royal Household" Flour:

"Yes, we handle 'Royal Household' Flour; we sell a good deal of it," was the reply given our reporter when he called at the store of Mr. George E. Munro. "I am sorry to say that for a few days we were completely sold out of stock; but a car load now coming in will keep us going a little while unless the demand increases, which it may do judging by the reports we hear of 'Royal Household's' popularity in other parts of Canada."

"I understand," said Mr. Munro, "that 'Royal Household' is now the popular flour, as far west as Victoria, British Columbia, and that the millers who make it have had great difficulty in keeping up with their orders. I have made no effort to obtain the opinion of Westville people who have bought the flour, as to its quality, but this I can say, that no complaints have been made, which is a very good sign that the flour gives satisfaction. During the few days we were out of stock several people came to us and asked us to order it for them. I have a substitute the reply invariably was that they would wait for the new lot only coming from the mill. Personally, I believe that 'Royal Household' is a very fine flour, probably the finest that has ever been made in Canada and I have no hesitation in selling it as such. You are at liberty to make this statement in your paper, in fact I would consider it fair to have you do so."

SHE SHIPS SAILORS.

Mrs. Mary Ranlett, of Rockland, is a Remarkable Woman.

A remarkable woman is Mrs. Mary Ranlett, of Rockland, Maine. She is not only an authority upon dogs, cats and horses, but probably has a more intimate knowledge of the great coastwise shipping business than any other woman in the United States. Thirty-three years ago she married John S. Ranlett, who keeps a sailor's boarding house and shipping office, and who was shipping commissioner at Rockland for nearly five years. Mr. Ranlett was unable to attend to the more active management of the shipping office, and into a position never before filled by a woman stepped Mrs. Ranlett, a fine type of Maine's rugged and energetic womanhood. The office was called upon to furnish crews not only for the thriving ports of Rockland, Portland and Thomaston, but along the Kennebec river. The coastwise trade, then at its height, created an immense demand for sailors, and under the supervision of Mrs. Ranlett as many as 3,000 of them have been furnished at Rockland in a single year. Those who shipped at regular intervals were not long in recognizing the marked personality of the woman who filled the position of the shipping office, and but those who came for the first time viewed with astonishment the trim figure of the woman who asked in such a matter-of-fact tone for their articles and checks. Mrs. Ranlett went to Boston to take charge of ship's crews and had one which numbered 16 men. They were of the worst material, and on a scheduled time. Instantly taught the sailors that Mrs. Ranlett was a woman of nerve, quick to meet emergencies, and they have been invariably treated her with due respect. Once she carried a sailor to Rockport, but his desire to ship vanished at the last moment, and while Mrs. Ranlett was busy with other sailors he took French leave. Mrs. Ranlett pursued him in her team, got him aboard and landed him back to the wharf, whence he was escorted to the ship with lack of ceremony.

FACTS THAT FEW KNOW ABOUT FLOWERS.

To Revive Withering Flowers—Flowers that have been cut and are becoming wilted revived by plunging their stems into hot water. The same result may be obtained by burning the ends of the stems.

Flowers Grow from the Roots in Three Weeks—Fill a flower-pot more than half full with quicklime, and fill to the top with good soil. Plant the bulbs in the usual way. The heat of the lime will rise through the earth, and in this manner successful flowers may be obtained at any time. The soil should be kept dry.

Soil for Flowers—Good soil is of first importance, for without it no plant can thrive. The best soil is produced by mixing fresh sandy loam with a third of well-rotted manure. In potting plants, press the soil well down in the pot. Never use wet soil for this purpose under any consideration; if you do, disappointment will be the result.

A Tonic, and a Preventive for Insects—To invigorate running vines, burn beef bones, then pulverize them, and mix with the soil. To rid your plants of the harmful insects which gather on the under side of the leaves, use a strong suds made of whale-oil soap and water, applying it with a whisk-broom by splashing from the ground upward.

Hyacinth Culture—Hyacinths require a light but rich soil; sandy loam well dressed and mixed with thoroughly rotted manure is best. If the soil is not sandy, add to it a third of silver sand. The soil for a hyacinth-bed must be dug deeply, well mixed and turned over. The bulbs should be planted eight inches apart and four inches under the soil.

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LOCAL NEWS.

The factory act commission will meet in Fredericton early in March to consider their report to the government.
The insurance adjusters have decided that Flett's mill, recently burned at Nelson, is a total loss. The insurance carried amounted to \$5,000.
The Doorkeepers' Circle of the King's Daughters are now preparing for a rummage sale to be held early in the spring.
Harvey Meserole, son of a wealthy New York banker, is at the Victoria. Mr. Meserole intended sailing for the Northumberland and Restigouche. After a visit in London, he will go to South Africa, and later will visit Australia. He intends being gone about a year. George Meserole, an uncle of the young man, has the contract for the construction of the tunnel under the East River at New York. This tunnel is four miles in length, and is now about completed. It is considered one of the engineering triumphs of the world, and cost many millions.
Since the middle of January the grand lecturer and organizer of the Sons of Temperance, Michael Kelly, has been travelling in the counties of Chatham, Douglastown, Millerton, Whitteville, Loggieville, New Jersey, Tabusmetac and Burnt Church in Northumberland county, and Campbellton River, Lousion and River Chatham in Restigouche county. He was at Bathurst on the 16th inst., and expected to hold a meeting there, last night. He reports that he has been well received everywhere, and that in spite of the weather, his trip as a whole has been a satisfactory one. He has yet to visit Kent and Westmorland counties before returning to his home and starting on a tour of the western part of the province.

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